

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

**JOSEPH FOLEY**

**PLAINTIFF**

**v.**

**CAUSE NO. 1:23CV316-LG-RPM**

**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI;  
MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF  
CORRECTIONS; JOHN LEDBETTER,  
in his official capacity as Jackson  
County Sheriff; BURL CAIN, in his  
official capacity as Mississippi  
Department of Corrections  
Commissioner; JACKSON COUNTY,  
MISSISSIPPI, by and through  
Kenneth Taylor, in his official  
capacity as Jackson County Board of  
Supervisors President; and JOSH  
ELDRIDGE in his official capacity as  
Jackson County Chancery Clerk**

**DEFENDANTS**

**FINAL JUDGMENT**

For the reasons set forth in the [39] Memorandum Opinion and Order entered on May 14, 2024, this Court finds that Plaintiff Joseph Foley's claims against the defendants should be dismissed.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that Joseph Foley's claims against Josh Eldridge are **DISMISSED** pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(c).

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that Foley's claims against Sheriff John Ledbetter in his official capacity and Jackson County, Mississippi, are **DISMISSED** pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(c).

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that Joseph Foley's claims against the State of Mississippi, MDOC, and Commissioner Burl Cain are **DISMISSED** for lack of jurisdiction.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that the Clerk of Court is instructed to close this case because all pending claims have been dismissed.

**SO ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** this the 29th day of May, 2024.

s/ *Louis Guirola, Jr.*

Louis Guirola, Jr.  
United States District Judge